

### REMARKS

The present claims are directed to arrays of oligonucleotides attached to a substrate.

The above amendments to the specification are editorial in nature and no new matter is added thereby.

A Petition Under 37 CFR 1.183 for Waiver of Requirements Under 37 CFR 1.84 and Proposed Amendment pertaining to color drawings was filed and granted in the parent (USSN 07/492,462) of the above-identified application. A copy of the Decision on Petition in which the petition was granted is attached hereto. Applicants respectfully request that the requirement to make such petition be waived in the present application since the petition was previously granted in the parent application and since this application is identical to the parent.

A petition to change the order of inventors and a petition to delete one of the inventors from the application are also enclosed, along with a petition for expedited prosecution of the application. Favorable early consideration of the application is requested.

Respectfully submitted,  
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#### Enclosures: .

1. Copy of Decision on Petition Under 37 CFR 1.83
2. Request for Drawing Changes  
w/ten sheets of redlined drawings
3. Petition Under 37 CFR 1.182 to Change Order  
of Names of Inventors (MPEP 605.04(f))
4. Petition for Correction of Inventorship  
Under 37 CFR 1.48(b)
5. Petition to Make Special Under  
MPEP 708.02 (VIII) - Accelerated Examination

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